





## Owingsville Outlook.

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### Democratic Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,

GROVER CLEVELAND, New York

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,

T. A. HENDRICKS, Indiana.

For Member of Congress,

FRANK POWERS, of Carter.

A small earthquake shook up Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and part of Kentucky, last Friday.

Speaker Carlisle has been nominated for reelection by the Democrats of the Covington district. It is not probable that he will have any opposition.

Barry Smith has been removed by the Commissioners as Warden of the Penitentiary for alleged mismanagement of that much written of and talked of institution.

The Apostle Paul, in one of his epistles to Timothy, says: "Some men's sins are open before hand." Paul was evidently thinking of Blaine when he penned that sentence.

The fight in Ohio next month is going to be terrific. Defeat of the Republicans means the death and disbandment of that party. They are consequently desperate and it is this desperation that will make them the State by at least 15,000.

W. H. Wilson, of Cincinnati, has had more bad luck. On Friday last, a freight train ran over and killed the two fine geldings, "Gray Prince" and "Orphan Boy." The former was valued at five thousand dollars and the latter at five hundred.

Carl Schurz spoke in Cincinnati on Monday night. The Emperor, in order to neutralize the effect of this effort, and with characteristic duplicity, published in its issue of that date, from the pen of Gath, its brilliant but unprincipled hireling, a sarcastic and villainous review of the great Dutchman's life.

At the election a year ago, J. W. Ashery, the colored man who was nominated for Register of Land office, ran in this county 201 votes behind the Republican ticket. Just that many Republicans refused to vote for him because he was a negro. It is always that way. The Republicans use colored men as voters and then kick them aside when they are through with them.—Bulletin.

It is stated that President Arthur is trying to be Senator from New York. Secretary Teller from Colorado, General Creswell from Indiana, and Secretary Lincoln from Illinois. Brewster, Attorney General, probably has no Senatorial hopes, but would, it is said, like to be placed on the Supreme bench to succeed Mr. Justice Bradley, who will probably retire before long, having attained the age at which he may so do. It would be an unusual thing to see an ex-President and four members of his Cabinet in the Senate with the fifth member of the Cabinet on the Supreme bench.

The negro, Ashery, ran 192 votes behind his ticket in this county, last year. In other words, there were 192 white Republicans in Bath who refused to vote for a colored man, although he was regularly nominated by the State convention. This should demonstrate to the colored man that all the time the Republicans have for him is to ensure good, fat offices by his vote. Mr. Wadsworth belongs to this same thing class. He walked up to the polls in May'sville, last year and voted for every white man on the ticket, but when he came to Ashery's name, he adjusted his elegant gold rimmed glasses and quietly drew a pencil mark through his name. He could not stand the negro. The aristocratic Mr. Wadsworth could not, yet he is now insinuating intelligence and manhood by soliciting them for their votes, that he may thereby ride into power. There are a few colored men in this county who will have the courage to retaliate in kind by scratching Mr. Wadsworth's name, but the great mass can be driven to the polls like sheep to do the bidding of their white masters and unprincipled, the Republican leaders in the county. We have stated a plain fact, and shall have nothing more to say during this canvass, regarding the negro vote, believing that it is time, space, ink and paper thrown away. So far as we are individually concerned, we admire Mr. Wadsworth for his honesty and himself and the Anglo

### The Nathan Letters.

Those famous letters, which have so conclusively shown Mr. Blaine up in the past as a man unfit to trust with office are again before the public and have been supplemented by others still more damaging to his character than the first. Below we republish the last:

[Confidential.] Washington, April 16, 1876.—My Dear Mr. Fisher: You can do me a very great favor, and I know it will give you pleasure to do so, just as I would do for you under similar circumstances. Certain persons and papers are trying to throw mud at me to injure my candidacy before the Cincinnati Convention, and you may observe they are trying it in connection with the Little Rock and Fort Smith matter. I want you to send me a letter such as the enclosed draft. You will receive this tomorrow (Monday) evening, and it will be in favor I shall never forget if you will at once write me the letter and mail the same evening. The letter is strictly true, is honorable to you and to me and will stop the mouths of slanderers at once. Regard this letter as strictly confidential. The draft is in the hands of my clerk, who is as trustworthy as any one can be. If you can't get the letter written in season for the 9 o'clock mail to New York please be sure to mail it during the night, so that it will start first mail Tuesday morning. But, if possible, I pray you to get it in the 9 o'clock mail Monday evening. Kind regards to Mrs. Fisher. Sincerely, J. G. B.

(Burn this letter.) J. G. B. Indorsed on the back are the words:

Not knowing your exact address, I send this to the Parker House, in order that it may not be subjected to any danger in the hands of a carrier. The following is the letter drafted by Blaine and sent to Fisher to be copied and returned, but which Fisher refused to do so or indorse:

Boston, April 16, 1876.—To Hon. James G. Blaine, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: I observe that certain newspapers are making, or rather insinuating, the absurd charge that you own, or had owned, \$150,000 of Little Rock and Fort Smith railroad bonds, and that you had in some way obtained them as gratuity. The enterprise of building the Little Rock and Fort Smith railroad was undertaken in 1867 by a company of Boston gentlemen, of whom I was myself one. The bonds of the road were put upon the market in this city on what were deemed very advantageous terms to the purchaser. They were sold very largely through myself. You became the purchaser of about \$50,000 of the bonds on precisely the same terms that every other buyer received, paying for them in installments running over a considerable period, just as others did. The transaction was perfectly open, and there was no more secrecy in regard to it than if you had been buying flour or sugar. I am sure you never owned a bond of the road that you did not pay for at the market rate. Indeed, I am sure that no one received bonds on any other terms. When the road got into financial difficulties, and lost full upon you, you still retained your bonds, and you held them clear through the reorganization of the company in 1874, exchanging them for stocks and bonds of the new company. You acquired also some demands against the new company by reason of your having joined with others in raising some money when the company was in pressing need. For the recovery of that money proceedings are now pending in the United States Circuit Court in Arkansas, to which you are openly a party of record. Concealment of the investment and everything connected with it would have been very easy had concealment been desirable, but your action in the whole matter was as open and as fair as the day.

Very sincerely yours, W. F. Jr.  
Boston Letter in the Philadelphia Times.

**Bethel Meeting.**  
Programme of County Meeting, Bethel Christian Church, Bath county, Ky. Tuesday night, Sept. 25th, at seven o'clock p. m., address by H. W. Watkins. Subject, Permanent Church Work.

Friday morning, nine o'clock: Organization; address by J. Stafford—subject, The Object of our Meeting. Followed by short speeches. Afternoon—Address by L. L. Pats. Subject—Importance of S. S. Work, followed by short speeches. Address by J. C. Tompkins. Subject, Methods of Conducting the S. S.

Invitation is extended to all Christian workers. Come one and all and let us have the benefit of your counsel.

M. W. HARRIS.

J. STAFFORD.

Church has received 7500 a bond in

### "QUININE JIM."

#### THE GIFTED SON OF CHRISTIAN

Puts Life and Metal into the Democrats of Bath.

#### A FIELD DAY.

Last Saturday was a glorious day for the Democracy of this county. Such a rejuvenating and vitalizing administration of the one thing needful, they have not had for a long, long time. The effect was electrical and it awakened the party to greater activity than has been the case for many years. The largest audience that has assembled in our court house for eight years past, greeted the Hon. Jas. A. McKendzie on Saturday evening last and was held enchanted by his matchless eloquence for very nearly two hours. The speaker's style is perfectly original, and consequently very refreshing. Leaving the beaten paths that have been worn down to the hulk rank by so called orators of ages gone before, he boldly blaz s his way through virgin forest of eloquence, keeping his hearers in a delightful suspense through out. He dealt with the main questions before the country at this time, in a fair, yet forcible manner, offending no one and convincing all. The speech has done much good, and it ever Mr. McKendzie is billed for another in this place, it will take a number several times larger than the one in which he spoke last Saturday to hold the audience.

The temporary organization of a Cleveland and Hendricks and Powers and Northup club was effected in this place last Saturday night. The organization will be completed at the court house at 3 o'clock on Saturday evening by the election of a President Vice President and Secretary. Similar organizations will be effected in every precinct in the county and the party put in better fighting trim than it has been for years. The Democrats of Bath sent victory in the air in the approaching national struggle and are buckling on their armor preparatory to being at the front on the first Tuesday in November and very early in the morning.

As Geo. Stephens and Miss Jennie Dawson were driving through the toll gate on the Preston pike, on Sunday, their buggy got caught on the pole, tearing it completely from the body. The occupants fortunately escaped unhurt, though badly frightened.

Our gallant young Congressional standard bearer, Col. Frank Powers, was mixing with our people on Friday and Saturday last. He made an excellent impression. Bath can be counted for him to the tune of three hundred.

When other remedies have been un-successfully used Wills' World Worm Candy has been resorted to. It is common stock remedy in appearance and no child will refuse to take it. Ask your druggist for it.

We will give exclusive sale at and near Owingsville, of our Entire Wheat Flour to a dealer who will push it. Covered by patent. Easily sold. We guarantee a hundred pounds more bread to the barrel than any other flour.

FRANKLIN MILLS CO.  
38 Clark St., Chicago, Ill.  
No. 11 31.

**NOTICE.**  
All persons indebted to the undersigned as trustee of L. R. Slosser, will please pay or settle the same by the 1st day of September, 1884; and if not paid or settled by that time I shall be compelled to sue.

F. A. GOODPASTER.

Assignee.

Mr. Wadsworth would not have ordered men as soldiers in the army under any circumstances, but he was willing that they should be used to dig trenches and drive wagons, and for that purpose he would give them as freely as he would give a horse. And here is the proof. It can be found on pages 1,199 and 1,291 of the Congressional Globe in the proceedings of Congress March 12, 1862:

"We will give them and give them freely, whenever you need them to 'bury on the way, to dig trenches or 'drive your wagons, or take any part in the war which is authorized by 'Christian principle or the constitution. 'You shall have them as free as you 'shall have the noblest breed of horses 'Spring from Arabian and English 'studs now feeding upon our blue grass pastures."

The colored Blaine and Logan club in endorsing Mr. Wadsworth have approved this statement also, and have pledged themselves to vote for a man who said in Congress he would as freely give a negro to the Government to dig trenches and drive a wagon as he would give away a horse. The meanest slave driver in the land could not have said more.

### From the South.

NUMBER THREE.

Having at last received an answer and ascertained that my correspondence is accepted, I continue my journal. Carolina, instead of being as I had imagined, upon a dead level, is perched upon a hill almost as high and quite as deep, as that from which Owensville looks down upon the humble world. There is this difference, however, you have hard turpicks upon which to ascend, while we must trudge through sand shoe month deep, while the trumpet of the mosquito sounds the charge. I never was a very weak man, being red headed, but had I been so by nature, the quarts and mosquitoes of these sands would have long since cured me of such a weakness. I used to keep reproaches upon Kentucky house flies, as they tickled my nose in my hammock after dinner, on a hot day, but now I remember them as a beneficent insect, sent only to awaken our dormant energies and keep us from stagnation. Nature knew better than to throw away so mild a means upon the indifference of the South, and "Cero" substituted the music and penetrating prodos of the "gallinipper." I've no doubt, judging from what I see around me, that in a year I shall only smile blandly and move languidly when I hear his trumpet and feel his penetrating approach. "Sit transit, &c."

But there is one thing here that can least creation, and that is clever people. Whether it is that they refuse to see fresh bait for the mosquitoes, or that they had not seen for so long a time a live Presbyterian preacher, or that they are too indolent to be anything else but clever, I can't say, but I have never fallen upon a place where the people so universally welcome a stranger and make him feel at home. How different, I thought, from a certain place that I have known, where some of the citizens looked at every stranger as though they feared a pickpocket about to make an attack upon their valuables. How more delightful the booming snail and jolly hand shake of the Carolinians, than the gruff grunt and distrustful side-glance of some I've met elsewhere. Politeness is a good thing in this world, and don't cost a cent. "Take notice and govern yourselves accordingly."

Living on a hill in this country has its advantages and disadvantages. It certainly lifts you above the malaria which curses all the swamps, but their being sand instead of rocks as you have it, washes with great facility, and it is a perpetual struggle to keep the hill from running all down the river. All around the town there are on the steep hill-side the most fantastical gashes, gullies and peaks imaginable. You've been to "Knob Licks." Well, we have Knob Licks all around the town, and in sight of our windows. To prevent the extension of these washes into the heart of the city, the authorities must "box their water tables with wood and fill the heads of the washes with pine straw." If you don't know what that means just ask your townsman, for he knows it all along.

We have a magnificent college building here that must have cost a mint of money, and also a fine mansion hall that is quite above the average. This people have never yet recovered from the stunning blow dealt them by the war and the carpet baggers. But I've got into politics, and I guess the mosquitoes, I must pull up.

S. R. EX.

### Public Sale of Land and Corn

We are going to Mr. Sterling to live, and in order to get some money to help pay for property bought by him that city, we will sell to the highest bidder on

Saturday, Oct. 18th, '84.

Our farm containing 38 acres, good blue grass and tobacco land, lying one half mile north of Sharpsburg, Bath county, Ky. The fields, East of Main and Sharpsburg. Road is now being made through this farm, dividing it into two lots or farms. One farm has about 20 acres, and the other piece has about 18 acres in it. There is a dwelling and good barn on each piece of land. There is a S. S. 1 orchard, with plenty of never failing water for man and beast on each piece. You see this farm is susceptible of division, and we will try to sell it in quantities to suit the wishes of buyers. A good and perfect title made to the buyer, with true copy and made known day of sale. This 18th day of Sept. 1884.

MARGARET M. BELL,

H. T. BELL,

Assignees of M. B. Moore.

### COMMISSIONER'S SALE!

R. E. Frattman's administrator

vs. R. E. Frattman's heirs &c.

By virtue of a judgment of the Bath circuit court, rendered at its August term, 1883, I shall, as Master Commissioner of said court, on

Monday, Oct. 13, 1884,

the same being the first day of the Bath county court, at the court house door in Owensville, Ky., offer for sale, to the highest bidder the dwelling house and lot of said R. E. Frattman, situated in the town of Owensville, on Main street, and owned by Mrs. Emily Frattman, and described as follows, viz: Beginning at corner of lot of G. M. Curry, on Main street, thence running westerly with said lot to Water street, thence with Water street, easterly to the lot of Christopher A. Hartman, thence southerly with said lot to the corner of A. J. Ewing's lot, thence southerly with said lot to the northwest corner thereof, thence southerly with said lot to McGovern's, thence southerly with McGovern's to the corner of the town common to business. I will sell said property in one or more parcels, as I may see fit, and will receive for the same the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, and will receive for the same the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, and will receive for the same the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars.

Bath Circuit Court.

A note W. Rutherford and J. W. Rutherford, promissory, on petition. To whom it may concern. Take notice that James W. Rutherford and J. W. Rutherford have this day filed in the office of the Bath Circuit Court clerk their petition praying the said court to compel the said Ely Davidson to pay to the said Ely Davidson the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, and to receive for the same the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, and to receive for the same the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars.

## Public Sale! Sharpsburg Roller Mills,

VALUABLE HOTEL & Other PROPERTY

OWINGSVILLE, KY.,

SATURDAY, NOV. 15, 1884.

The Owings House,

Now occupied by Tifford Moore as a hotel, Exchange Bank of Lee & Son and W. H. Hester's drug store. Said building has a frontage on Main street of 73 feet 8 inches, and 17 feet 10 inches on Court, is two stories high, with a Stairway one of the finest jobs of architecture in the country, and a rear underneath the entire building, suitable for barber shop, billiard room, etc. The following described property will be sold with said hotel property, to-wit: A rear space entire length of building, 10 feet and 9 inches wide and fronting on Court street, back yard, well of splendid never failing water, and garden 71 feet 6 inches by 196 feet 8 inches, having frontage on Doyle street of 71 feet 6 inches. Also right of way over 10 feet 6 inches fronting on Main street. At the same time we will offer for sale a splendid

### IRON FRONT STORE HOUSE,

with tables and shelving complete. Said store room is situated on Main street, with 25 feet 11 inches front, and depth of 47 feet 10 inches. Has splendid cellar and second story containing hall and five of good rooms. Ten feet and 8 inches of space in rear of building will be sold with said store room, also the right of way over 10 foot alley fronting on Main street. Also the building.

Now Occupied by W. H. Daugherty as an Express Office.

With frontage on Court street of 37 feet 5 inches, and running back 55 feet. What is known as the old dining room will go with said building. Also

### A GOOD OFFICE,

Fronting on Court street, 15 feet and one inch front and running back 55 feet. Said property will be offered for sale in parcels as described, or all together.

### TERMS:

One-Third Cash, One-Third in Six Months and One-Third in Twelve Months.

The two last payments to be given in interest from date. A lien on the property will be held for the purchase money. Being the only good property in the town of Owensville, Bath county, Ky., one of the Big Six only, and the opportunity to secure a bargain is a rare one. The undersigned, who has pleased to give any additional information concerning the property offered, either in writing or in person.

W. R. PATTERSON,

W. H. DAUGHERTY,

Administrators of Wm. Beaman, deceased, Owensville, Sept. 21, 1884.

### COMMISSIONER'S SALE!

John E. Stone, plaintiff,

vs. Wesley Whaley, &c., debtors.

By virtue of a judgment of the Bath Circuit Court, I shall, as Master Commissioner of said court, on

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the same being the first day of the Bath county court, at the court house door in the town of Owensville, Bath county, Ky., offer for sale to the highest bidder the one fourth of the following described tract of land, viz:

A certain piece or parcel of land situated in the county of Bath, on the waters of Bald River, being the same land sold by Milton E. Stone to Oscar Wilson and now in the possession of Daniel E. Emmons. Said land is described as follows: Beginning at a stake corner with Geo. A. Whitney in Jas. Ruffin's line, thence S. 81° 22' 10" E. 134 feet to a stake, in said Ruffin's line, thence S. 88° 22' W. 91 feet to poles to a stake in L. M. Stone's line, thence S. 10° W. 12 feet to poles to a stake corner with George A. Whitney, thence S. 81° E. 134 feet to a stake corner with same line, thence S. 10° E. 134 feet to poles to a stake corner with same S. 88° E. 87 feet to poles to the beginning, containing 14 acres, three rods, and 21 poles of land.

I will sell one fourth of said tract of land or enough thereof to pay the sum of \$1000 with interest at the rate of the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from 17th Sept. '82, and costs of sale. Said one fourth part of said land will be sold to the highest bidder on a credit of six months, the purchaser to execute bond, payable to John E. Stone, with good security, for the same term, and that as a judgment on which execution may issue if not paid at maturity, and returning a lien on the interest sold till said bond is fully paid.

Owensville, Ky., Sept. 20, 1884.

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### Local Matters.

Has any one seen Henry Woodford's wife?

Miss Sallie Daugherty is visiting in Mr. Sterling.

Soldard Johnston Young has been quite sick for several days.

Mr. J. J. Nesbitt and wife visited the Cincinnati Exposition last week.

John Richards has moved into the home just vacated by Dr. P. P. Guld.

Read the hundred and one new advertisements in the OUTLOOK this week.

Miss Mollie Adams, of Winchester, is visiting the family of Mr. A. J. Baker.

Mr. A. S. Thomas has moved into L. A. Goodpastor's residence, on State Avenue.

Johnson Atchison and wife returned from a visit from Lexington, Illinois, Tuesday.

John A. Ramsey went to Cincinnati last week and bought a big stock of hardware.

Fred Slessor is in Cincinnati this week and the goods are rolling in to the car load.

Mr. Geo. Gill, of Indiana, has been on a visit to his father, Mr. H. Gill, of this county.

The Bath county Teachers Institute is in session this week with a very large attendance.

Tilford Moore has been confined to his bed for more than a week past by a severe indisposition.

Eugene and Andy Minihan left for the Cincinnati and Louisville exhibitions yesterday morning.

The shooting of the young man Bat, reported in this paper a few weeks ago, was purely accidental.

Thos. Hog Kennedy, sure cure for hog cholera. W. H. Downey, Owingsville, agent for Bath county.

Dr. N. F. Pierce has moved into the property lately occupied by W. R. Patterson, opposite the Brooks House.

The finest underwear and white shirt, also fine clothing at Steins with T. F. Rogers. Give him an early call.

Frank Poynter was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year, in the Meade circuit court, last week, for larceny.

Miss Myrtle Cross, of the State Avenue beauty, returned home Monday from a pleasant visit of several weeks to relatives in Clark county.

Joe Terry got in from Texas Monday and reports all of the Bath settlers in Hill county well and prospering. He returns in a few weeks.

When in Mt. Sterling call on Stein now with T. F. Rogers. He can save you money on your purchases in clothing, boots, shoes, hats, etc.

Tom Owens' fine pointer, one of the best hunters that ever scented a covey of quail, broke his leg last week and will be permanently disabled.

Our enterprising furniture dealer, Mr. C. H. Moon, sold two sets of furniture last week to parties living in Indiana. How is this for snip.

Rev. John R. Peoples, pastor of the M. E. church of this place, for the ensuing year, arrived Tuesday evening, and has taken charge of his work.

Sam Coleman, a negro man of the Pecked Oak neighborhood, was arrested and lodged in jail here, last week, on charge of stealing a watch from a companion by the name of Bates.

I will sell coal at either Preston or Elk Lick stations by the car load or delivered to the consumers in Owingsville, by the wagon load, at the very lowest prices.

J. M. COLLIVER.

J. A. J. Lee sold and shipped to Reuben England, of Pittsburg Va., a short time since 23 2-year old mules \$100 per head. He has sixty more for sale.

All of Tullahoma's lands, some twenty or more in number, quit work on the Owingsville and Steptone pike last Friday. Cause: No pay for a month and a half back.

A foolish and altogether erroneous report got circulated over the country last week to the effect that Strib Tinscher had shot and killed a woman. Uncle Strib ain't that kind of a man.

On Thursday of last week, in Frenchburg, Wilson Combs shot and perhaps fatally wounded Wm. Barker. It is said that the shooting was so clearly a case of self defense that the grand jury refused to find an indictment.

### A Dastardly and Deliberate Crime.

Last last Friday evening, Samuel Clay, a well known citizen of this county, stabbed his niece, Miss Sallie Oldham, five times, near his residence, in this county on the Montgomery line, about eight miles directly west of this place. Two of the wounds are in the back, one in the left breast, one in the arm and one in the groin. Miss Oldham is in a precarious condition. The weapon used was an old fashioned clasp knife, with two blades, the smaller of the two a little over two and a quarter inches long, and very narrow, being the one with which the wounds were inflicted. Miss Oldham was driving up to Clay's house for the purpose of getting some clothing for one of his boys, when she was treacherously attacked by Clay, dragged from the vehicle and used in the manner detailed above. Mrs. Clay was an eye witness to the dreadful scene, and as the unnatural uncle and husband had frequently menaced her life, she fled to a neighboring corn field, where she wandered, in a state of mental agony, which no pen can describe and no mind can conceive of, until found by loving friends about three o'clock on the following morning. Clay came to this place early in the night and related what he had done in as cool and unreluctant manner as though he had merely cut the throat of a hog, instead of having lacerated and torn the delicate flesh of his beautiful and delicate niece. This sang froid he has maintained to the present moment, and will detail to any one his bloody act. He told Col. V. B. Young, his attorney, that he knew his victim was dead, for he saw her fall on her face and gasp out her last breath. That he knew a maid would hang him, and that he had but one request to make of him and that was to see the job decently done. He has told divers persons that it had been his settled purpose for some time to have killed his wife and other members of the family. This statement has been fully corroborated by his actions toward his family for months past, the very recital of which would freeze the blood in one's veins. There has been some talk of insanity, but those who know this unnatural monster best, at the idea, and say that it is nothing other than the innate and inborn, tyrannical meanness of the man. Clay is about fifty five years of age and has taught public schools at various points in this and Montgomery counties for years past. Several years ago he would go on periodical sprees, which would last for weeks at a time, but during the Murphy excitement, in 1878, he signed the pledge and since that time, report says, has confined his dissipations to the opium habit, his diversions being abuse of his family. His wife, a daughter of that upright and much loved citizen, "Uncle" Billie Phelps, is a most estimable lady, loved and respected by all who know her. In default of \$3,000 bail Clay was lodged in jail at this place, where he now remains. Between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock, on Tuesday night, parties arrived in this place with the information that a mob was burning in Mt. Sterling for the purpose of taking the prisoner, Clay, from the jail and lynching him. He was removed to a neighboring hollow under guard and kept till near daylight. No mob putting in an appearance and the scare being worn off, the prisoner was returned to his quarters.

Toppy McLoughlin tried to drive a balky horse around the narrows of State above Bascom's mill on Sunday evening last when the animal plunged over the steep bank and into the creek some twenty feet below. Toppy sprang from the buggy, but one foot becoming entangled in the lines, he was dragged over with the horse and vehicle. He received a deep cut in the head and had one foot badly sprained. The buggy was completely wrecked. Three young ladies had just gotten out which undoubtedly saved their lives.

The great sheathorn sale of J. C. Hamilton's administrator, where one hundred head of pure Bates cattle will pass under the hammer, is in progress today at the home place on Flat Creek in this county. This herd was the pride of Mr. Hamilton and it is said that he would not have taken one thousand dollars per head for them. We hope the average will far exceed this figure. Buyers from all parts of the United States and Canada are in attendance.

### WANTED.

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Doctors Catlett and Perce, of this place, attended the Medical Association at Frenchburg, last week. The meeting was attended with good results, and if grand juries will do their duty quackery will be put down.

### Eye Opener.

To the citizens of Bath and surrounding country:

I take pleasure in informing the people of this section that I have just opened the largest assortment of fall and winter goods ever placed on this market. The latest styles of dress goods, in all the fashionable shades, and at prices lower than ever before known. The dry goods department is complete, while in boots and shoes I can beat the world. My stock of ready made clothing comprises everything that is new and nobby, and I can suit you both in style and price.

The goods are all fresh and new, and will be sold at the lowest figures for cash. An inspection of the stock, is solicited whether you want to buy or not. Thanking the people for their liberal patronage in the past, and hoping to merit a continuance of the same, I am, very respectfully,

E. Stassen.

Harlan Darrell, a young man who lives near Young's Springs, inflicted on his person what is thought to be a mortal wound, at Mt. Sterling, Saturday, with suicidal intent. He went into Caldwell's store and remarked to Charles Jordan, one of the salesmen: "How would you like to see me kill myself?" Charlie thought the fellow was joking. But in a few seconds heard a pistol snapping, and turning, saw Darrell with the weapon to his side. Before he could interfere, the pistol exploded, sending a bullet into his bowels. The wounded man was conveyed to the hotel and a physician summoned, who pronounced the wound fatal. Like the majority of such cases, it is supposed there was a woman in the case, although it is said he had been drinking heavily for several days.

Dr. A. Goldstein.

The well known Louisville Optician, has his office at Henry Scott's in this place, where he will remain a few days. Persons with failing and deficient eyesight should call and see him if they desire the benefit of his skill. His glasses have a wide reputation, to which many of our citizens can testify.

Dr. J. A. Reynolds, of this county, will soon remove to Winchester where he has purchased an elegant property for which he paid \$8,000. Bath will lose a most excellent citizen but we know of no other community we would rather see the gainers by our loss in this particular than that to which Dr. Reynolds will remove.

At the great exposition show off to be held in Cincinnati, J. S. Barry received the premium on 5 lbs. of the best plug filters and McCray & Robertson, of Bathel, the premium on 1 lb. of the best single filter. The former sold for \$22.40 and the latter for \$25.75 per hundred.

In returning from a business trip to Frenchburg last Tuesday, Dr. J. T. Catlett was thrown from his buggy by his horse taking fright, near Olynthia and severely injured. We are glad to see him out again this week and attending to his accustomed duties.

In the Meade circuit court, last week, Jas. Downey was tried for the murder of a man by the name of Carson, in Morgan county, a year or so ago, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for nine years. Carson, the man killed, was said to be Downey's illegitimate son.

It is not generally known that Raymond & Welcher, two excellent workmen, have opened a carriage and wagon shop in this place, and are prepared to do all work entrusted to them in a manner that will give satisfaction, in both finish and price. Paste this in your hat and give them a call, near Thompson & Ramsey's livery stable.

E. Steinschneider formerly with L. R. Shesser of Owingsville, has permanently connected himself with the popular house of T. F. Rogers. Mt. Sterling Ky., where he will be pleased to meet all his old friends and patrons.

Judge Jas. H. Hazbidge, of Mt. Sterling and Logan Hocker, of Lexington two of the jolliest, best fellows in the world, came over with Hon. Jim McKenzie last Saturday. Their company will shorten any journey fully by one half.

It is rumored that one of our wealthy farmers will lead to Hymen's altar early next week, a blushing and beautiful widow of the Bath neighborhood. We extend congratulations and advance.

Miss Sadie Botts, daughter of A. H. Botts, of Bathel, and Wm. Radloff, of Nicholas, will be united in marriage at the Christian church, in Bathel, at four o'clock this evening.

Cholera is on a grander decline in Bath.

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